



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

KUWATA et al

Serial No.: 10/828,505

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For: FAILURE DETECTION DEVICE FOR A ROTATION ANGLE DETECTION SENSOR

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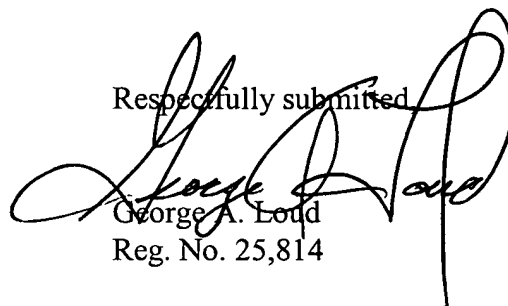
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the examiner consider and cite of record U.S. 5,846,160 and Japanese Kokai 2001-174212, listed on the attached. A copy of Japanese Kokai 2001-174212 is submitted herewith, along with a published English language abstract thereof.

The two documents cited here are described as "Related Art" at pages 1-3 of applicants' specification and the examiner's attention is directed to that teaching as a statement of the relevance of the two cited documents.

Respectfully submitted,



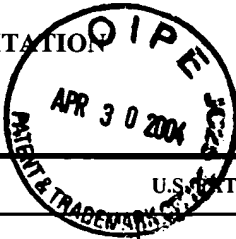
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**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

*EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
		5,846,160	12/8/98	TUDAY	477	99	

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
							YES	NO
		2001-174212	29/6/01	JP				

**OTHER DOCUMENTS** (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)


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